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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This communication is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 14, 2008. The Amendments and Remarks presented herein reflect the contents of the Amendment in Response to Non-final Office Action presented February 19, 2008, along with the correction of clerical errors indicated in the Notice. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 25 of this paper.